

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A printing apparatus that reads a document while conveying the document and is provided with a ~~serial-printer~~ section in which, while conveying a recording sheet, a recording head moves in a direction crossing a direction where the recording sheet is conveyed, the printing apparatus comprising:

_____ a single driving motor that generates a rotation force ~~a driving force for conveying a document or a recording sheet;~~

_____ a document conveying mechanism that conveys a document when the ~~to which a rotation force generated by the single driving driving motor is being [[can be]] transmitted to convey a document;~~

_____ a recording sheet conveying mechanism that conveys a recording sheet when the rotation force generated by the single driving motor is being transmitted ~~receiving the rotation force generated by the driving motor;~~

_____ transmitting means for transmitting the rotation force generated by the driving motor to the document conveying mechanism when the recording head is located ~~recording head locates in a specified position, and transmitting the rotation force only to the recording sheet conveying mechanism when the recording head is located in a position other than the specified position;~~ and

_____ controlling means for controlling movement of the recording head between the specified position and the position other than the specified position ~~recording head so that the transmitting means can transmit the rotation force generated by the driving motor to the document conveying mechanism.~~

2. (Currently Amended) The printing apparatus of claim 1, wherein the transmitting means includes a planetary gear,

_____the document conveying mechanism includes a gear that can mesh with the planetary gear, and

_____the planetary gear meshes with the gear provided in the document conveying mechanism when the recording head locates in the specified position.

3. (Currently amended) The printing apparatus of claim 1, wherein the recording sheet conveying mechanism is provided with a gear that meshes with a gear placed on the driving motor, a main conveying roller that conveys a recording sheet to beneath the recording head, and a feeding roller for conveying a recording sheet to the main conveying roller, and the printing apparatus further comprising:

_____controlling means for controlling a rotation direction of the driving motor so as to switch between conveyance of a recording sheet by the main conveying roller and conveyance of a recording sheet by the feeding roller ~~is provided~~.

4. (Previously Presented) The printing apparatus of claim 1, wherein the recording head performs recording in accordance with an ink-jet method.

5. (New) The printing apparatus of claim 1, further comprising:

a moored lever that makes contact with the recording head when the recording head is at the specified position; and

a switching lever that engages with the moored lever when the recording head is at the position other than the specified position and disengages from the moored lever when the recording head is at the specified position,

wherein the switching lever allows the transmitting means to transmit the rotation force only to the recording sheet conveying mechanism when the switching lever is in engagement with the moored lever, and allows the transmitting means to transmit the rotation force to the document conveying mechanism only when the switching lever is disengaged from the moored lever.

6. (New) The printing apparatus of claim 2, further comprising:

a moored lever that makes contact with the recording head when the recording head is at the specified position; and

a switching lever that engages with the moored lever when the recording head is at the position other than the specified position and disengages from the moored lever when the recording head is at the specified position,

wherein the switching lever allows the transmitting means to transmit the rotation force only to the recording sheet conveying mechanism when the switching lever is in engagement with the moored lever, and allows the transmitting means to transmit the rotation force to the

document conveying mechanism only when the switching lever is disengaged from the moored lever,

wherein the transmitting means further includes a revolving arm that supports the planetary gear, and

wherein the switching lever extends from the revolving arm and the planetary gear meshes with the gear provided in the document conveying mechanism when the switching lever disengages from the moored lever.